



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA  
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL  
DARRELL V. MCGRAW, JR.  
CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION  
1-800-368-8808 or 304-558-8986

# Press Release

June 30, 2003

## **WEST VIRGINIA RESIDENTS GET A CHOICE ABOUT TELEMARKETING CALLS**

### **National Do Not Call Registry Opens For Business**

The National Do Not Call Registry is open for business, giving West Virginia consumers a choice about whether to receive telemarketing calls at home. West Virginia does not have a specific do not call law.

Consumers who want to place their home or mobile phone numbers on the national registry can do so online. Beginning July 7, 2003, West Virginia consumers also will be able to register by phone. Registration is free.

Federal enforcement of the National Do Not Call Registry begins October 1, 2003. All consumers whose numbers are on the registry by August 31, 2003 will notice a downturn in telemarketing calls starting October 1, 2003. Consumers who register after September 1, 2003 will notice a drop in telemarketing calls within three months of the date they register.

For more information regarding the Do Not Call Registry visit:

[www.donotcall.gov](http://www.donotcall.gov)



Last edited by Administrator on Wed Aug 03, 2005 10:39 am; edited 1 time in total

###